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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated July 25, 2001, Applicant hereby submits four (4) sheets of corrected drawings for the above referenced case. No new matter has been added to said drawings.

Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned if there are any questions or further information is required.

Respectfully submitted,

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The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

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